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SUBJECT: GOH STATEMENT ON TERMINATION OF HELICOPTERS' MISSION

REF: TEGUCIGALPA 4721

1. TODAY, NOVEMBER 15TH, I VISITED COPEN CHIEF COL. HOSE DE LA CRUZ HERNENADEZ FOR A WRAP-UP OF FIFI MATTERS AND TO INQUIRE STATUS OF GOH DECLARATION THAT US HELICOPTERS HAD COMPLETED THEIR MISSION AND WERE NO LONGER NEEDED. THIS RELEASE WAS PART OF AGREEMENT SIGNED BY COL. HERNANDEZ ON BEHALF OF GOH PRIOR TO THE ARRIVAL OF THIS LAST TEAM FROM USSOUTHCOM.

2. HERNANDEZ PULLED FINISHED RELEASE FROM PILE ON HIS DESK AND APOLOGIZED FOR "INADVERTENT DELAY" IN ISSUING SAME. HERNANDEZ THEN WENT INTO EMOTIONAL EXPRESSION OF THANKS FOR ALL ASSISTANCE RECEIVED BY GOH, THE HONDURAN PEOPLE AND HIMSELF IN PARTICULAR. HE SAID COPEN JOB HAD BEEN THRUST UPON HIM WITHOUT SUFFICIENT GUIDELINES AND THAT IT WOULD HAVE BEEN FRANKLY IMPOSSIBLE HAD IT NOT BEEN FOR ALL ASSISTANCE RECEIVED FROM U.S. MISSION HERE.

3. THE DELAYED RELEASE IS TO BE GIVEN BY COPEN TO PRESS TODAY WITH BACK DATE OF NOVEMBER 12.

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